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Supplemental to the Information Disclosure Statement filed on October  
18, 2001 in connection with the above-captioned patent application, applicants hereby  
make of record the following references:

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3,976,840	Cleveland et al.	08/24/76
5,297,031	Guterman et al.	03/22/94
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5,463,547	Markowitz et al.	10/31/95
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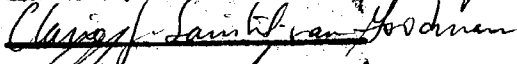
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- ☐ within three months of the application filing date;  
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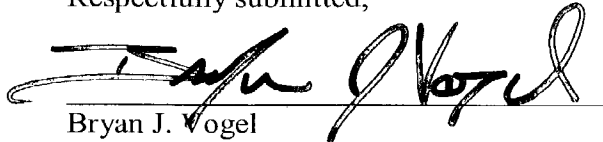
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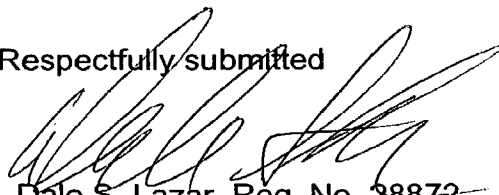
Consideration of each listed application is earnestly solicited since unpublished patent applications are contemplated as IDS material; see the exception in Rule 98(a)(2)(iii) and note the penultimate sentence of MPEP 609.

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Secondly, please consider each enclosed document which is listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 and return a copy of that form with the Examiner's initials adjacent each citation. Thanks again.

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